



Georgia

Area Labor Profile

Early

County



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Labor Force Activity - 2015

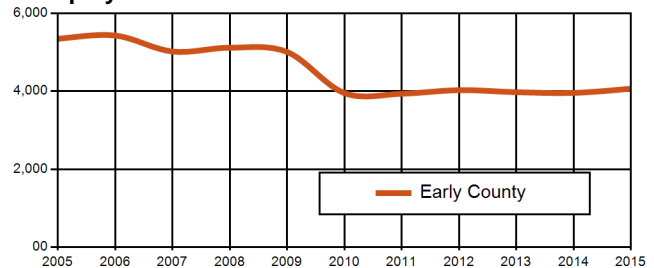
2015 ANNUAL AVERAGES

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
Early	4,359	4,063	296	6.8%
Baker	1,143	1,060	83	7.3%
Calhoun	2,135	2,005	130	6.1%
Clay	869	771	98	11.3%
Miller	2,694	2,550	144	5.3%
Seminole	3,126	2,876	250	8.0%
Early Area	14,326	13,325	1,001	7.0%
Georgia	4,770,873	4,490,931	279,942	5.9%
United States	157,129,917	148,833,417	8,296,333	5.3%
Henry, AL	6,735	6,279	456	6.7%
Houston, AL	44,743	41,978	2,765	6.2%

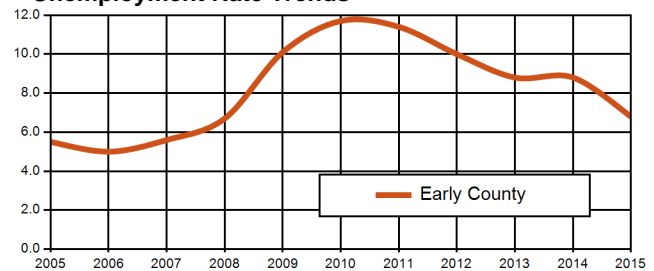
Note: This series reflects the latest information available. Labor Force includes residents of the county who are employed or actively seeking employment.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor; U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

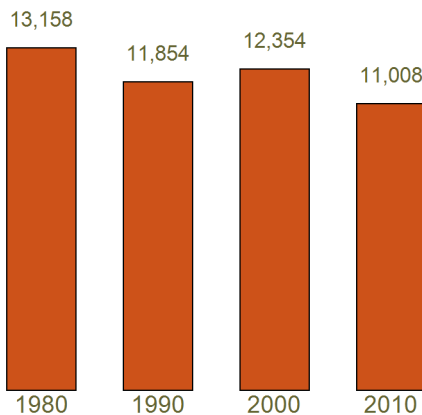
Employment Trends



Unemployment Rate Trends



Population Estimates



Population

	2010 Census	2015 Rank	2015 Estimate	% Change 2000-2015	2025 Projected*	% Change 2010-2025
Early	11,008	252	10,575	-3.9	10,086	-8.4
City of Blakely	5,068					
Early Area	157,463		159,270	1.1	154,168	-2.1
Georgia	9,687,653		10,214,860	5.4	11,538,707	19.1
United States	308,745,538		321,418,820	4.1	349,439,199	13.2
Henry, AL	16,679		17,221	3.2	17,428	4.5
Houston, AL	101,594		104,173	2.5	99,832	-1.7

Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau, *Governor's Office of Planning and Budget.

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Industry Mix - 2nd Quarter of 2016

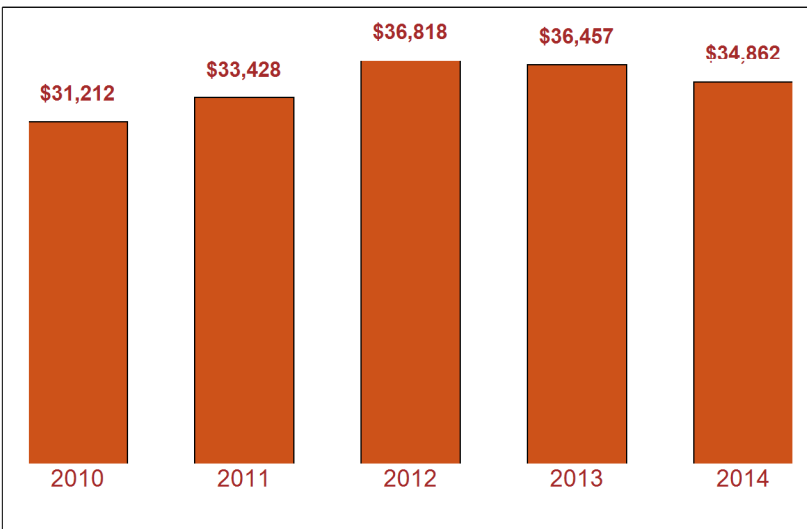
INDUSTRY	NUMBER OF FIRMS	Early EMPLOYMENT		WEEKLY WAGE	Early Area			
		NUMBER	PERCENT		NUMBER OF FIRMS	NUMBER	PERCENT	WEEKLY WAGE
Goods-Producing	51	1,062	24.9	1,169	177	2,172	20.8	863
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	31	201	4.7	592	114	911	8.7	509
Mineral, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Construction	11	102	2.4	717	39	251	2.4	634
Manufacturing	9	759	17.8	1,383	23	1,007	9.7	1,241
Food	2	*	*	*	6	*	*	*
Paper	1	*	*	*	1	*	*	*
Nonmetallic Mineral Product	2	*	*	*	5	29	0.3	629
Primary Metal	1	*	*	*	1	*	*	*
Fabricated Metal Product	2	*	*	*	4	14	0.1	520
Machinery	1	*	*	*	3	*	*	*
Furniture and Related Product	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Beverage and Tobacco Product	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Textile Mills	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Service-Providing	204	1,829	43.0	613	649	4,809	46.2	599
Utilities	0	0	0.0	0	4	*	*	*
Wholesale Trade	16	409	9.6	813	52	714	6.9	751
Retail Trade	55	457	10.7	530	158	1,161	11.1	439
Transportation and Warehousing	9	16	0.4	556	45	113	1.1	614
Information	1	*	*	*	5	18	0.2	560
Finance and Insurance	20	136	3.2	755	53	329	3.2	786
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	6	10	0.2	475	19	75	0.7	714
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	13	60	1.4	911	39	271	2.6	845
Management of Companies and Enterprises	4	*	*	*	5	*	*	*
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	10	39	0.9	319	25	182	1.7	514
Educational Services	2	*	*	*	4	116	1.1	571
Health Care and Social Assistance	17	391	9.2	652	75	1,046	10.0	701
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	2	*	*	*	8	*	*	*
Accommodation and Food Services	24	191	4.5	225	60	454	4.4	286
Other Services (except Public Administration)	25	33	0.8	334	66	161	1.5	466
Unclassified - industry not assigned	5	3	0.1	834	31	32	0.3	659
Total - Private Sector	260	2,894	68.0	817	826	6,981	67.0	681
Total - Government	36	1,363	32.0	602	130	3,438	33.0	619
Federal Government	9	34	0.8	706	33	132	1.3	940
State Government	15	*	*	*	46	1,078	10.3	597
Local Government	12	574	13.5	616	51	2,228	21.4	611
ALL INDUSTRIES	296	4,258	100.0	748	956	10,419	100.0	661
ALL INDUSTRIES - Georgia					298,099	4,257,675		930

Note: *Denotes confidential data relating to individual employers and cannot be released. These data use the North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) categories. Average weekly wage is derived by dividing gross payroll dollars paid to all employees - both hourly and salaried - by the average number of employees who had earnings; average earnings are then divided by the number of weeks in a reporting period to obtain weekly figures. Figures in other columns may not sum accurately due to rounding. All figures are 2nd Quarter of 2016.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor. These data represent jobs that are covered by unemployment insurance laws.

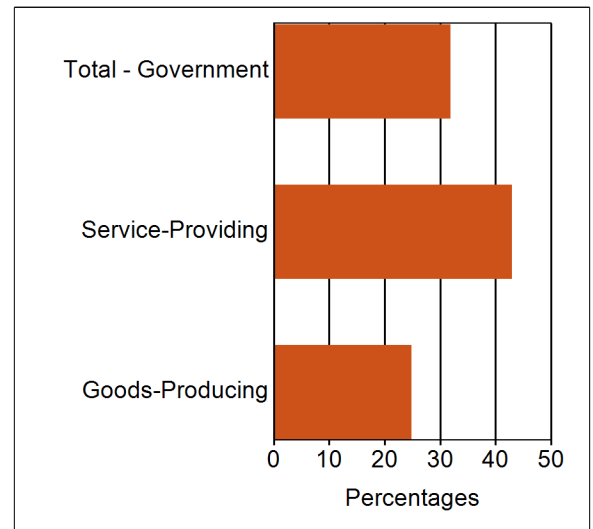
Early Per Capita Income

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



Early Industry Mix 2016

Source: See Industry Mix data on Page 2.



Top Ten Largest Employers - 2015*

Early

Agri-AFC, LLC
Birdsong Peanuts
Damascus Peanut Company
Early Trucking Company
Georgia-Pacific Cedar Springs, LLC
Maverick C & P, Inc.
Pioneer Health Services of Early County, LLC
Primary Care of Southwest Georgia, Inc.
Universal Blanchers, LLC
White Oak Pastures, Inc.

*Note: Represents employment covered by unemployment insurance excluding all government agencies except correctional institutions, state and local hospitals, state colleges and universities. Data shown for the Third Quarter of 2015. Employers are listed alphabetically by area, not by the number of employees.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor

Early Area

Birdsong Peanuts
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Donalsonville Hospital, Inc.
Early Trucking Company
Georgia Department of Corrections
Georgia-Pacific Cedar Springs, LLC
Ichauway, Inc.
Lewis M Carter Mfg Co, Inc.
Pioneer Health Services of Early County, LLC
White Oak Pastures, Inc.

COUNTY

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Commuting Patterns

EMPLOYED RESIDENTS OF

Early

COUNTY WHERE EMPLOYED	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
Early, GA	2,500	68.5
Houston, AL	439	12.0
Miller, GA	325	8.9
Seminole, GA	68	1.9
Calhoun, GA	56	1.5
Clay, GA	52	1.4
Dougherty, GA	41	1.1
Decatur, GA	33	0.9
Other	134	3.7
Total Residents:	3,648	100.0

PERSONS WORKING IN

Early

COUNTY OF RESIDENCE	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
Early, GA	2,500	65.2
Houston, AL	372	9.7
Miller, GA	173	4.5
Seminole, GA	153	4.0
Calhoun, GA	149	3.9
Jackson, FL	75	2.0
Clay, GA	74	1.9
Henry, AL	71	1.9
Other	266	6.9
Total Residents:	3,833	100.0

Note: Other category represents employment from U.S. counties only.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010 County-To-County Worker Flow Files.

Education of the Labor Force

Early Area

	PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE				
		18-24	25-34	35-44	45-64	65+
Elementary	8.8%	4.7%	6.6%	2.1%	6.4%	21.5%
Some High School	17.5%	30.1%	13.2%	16.9%	15.4%	17.5%
High School Grad/GED	38.8%	32.8%	36.2%	42.1%	41.8%	36.4%
Some College	19.4%	30.5%	28.1%	18.5%	16.9%	12.4%
College Grad 2 Yr	6.0%	1.6%	6.3%	8.4%	8.0%	2.9%
College Grad 4 Yr	5.8%	0.2%	6.9%	7.1%	6.6%	6.0%
Post Graduate Studies	3.7%	0.0%	2.7%	4.9%	5.0%	3.3%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Note: Totals are based on the portion of the labor force between ages 18 - 65+. The "Some College" category represents workers with less than two years of college and no degree.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010 Decennial Census.

High School Graduates - 2015

	PUBLIC SCHOOLS	PRIVATE SCHOOLS*	TOTAL
Baker	20	--	20
Calhoun	32	--	32
Clay	0	--	0
Early	136	--	136
Miller	61	--	61
Seminole	105	--	105
Early Area	354	--	354



Note: Public schools include city as well as county schools systems.

* Private schools data is not available for 2015 from Georgia Independent School Association.

Source: The Governor's Office of Student Achievement of Georgia.

College and Universities Report: Data is not available at this time.

Technical College Graduates - 2015*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2013	2014	2015	2013-2014	2014-2015
Accounting Technology/Technician and Bookkeeping°	70	100	109	42.9	9.0
Administrative Assistant and Secretarial Science, General	103	134	187	30.1	39.6
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician°	296	242	275	-18.2	13.6
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician°	134	205	281	53.0	37.1
Building/Property Maintenance°	1	13	22	1200.0	69.2
Business Administration and Management, General°	178	197	532	10.7	170.1
CAD/CADD Drafting and/or Design Technology/Technician°	15	4	25	-73.3	525.0
Carpentry/Carpenter°	45	83	143	84.4	72.3
Child Care Provider/Assistant°	75	93	267	24.0	187.1

Technical College Graduates - 2015*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2013	2014	2015	2013-2014	2014-2015
Civil Engineering Technology/Technician	5	1	2	-80.0	100.0
Communications Systems Installation and Repair Technology°	9	5	1	-44.4	-80.0
Computer Installation and Repair Technology/Technician°	72	112	195	55.6	74.1
Construction Management	2	4	3	100.0	-25.0
Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General	66	59	90	-10.6	52.5
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies°	268	306	475	14.2	55.2
Culinary Arts/Chef Training	37	32	95	-13.5	196.9
Customer Service Support/Call Center/Teleservice Operation	23	37	92	60.9	148.6
Data Processing and Data Processing Technology/Technician°	12	11	55	-8.3	400.0
Dental Assisting/Assistant	15	24	40	60.0	66.7
Design and Visual Communications, General°	51	48	98	-5.9	104.2
Drafting and Design Technology/Technician, General°	19	14	30	-26.3	114.3
Early Childhood Education and Teaching°	95	73	211	-23.2	189.0
Electrical/Electronics Equipment Installation and Repair, General°	28	48	97	71.4	102.1
Electrician°	50	52	62	4.0	19.2
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)°	40	48	121	20.0	152.1
Entrepreneurship/Entrepreneurial Studies°	6	27	24	350.0	-11.1
Fire Prevention and Safety Technology/Technician°	7	7	22	0.0	214.3
Fire Science/Fire-fighting°	45	51	100	13.3	96.1
Fire Services Administration	1	7	9	600.0	28.6
Food Preparation/Professional Cooking/Kitchen Assistant°	16	33	33	106.3	0.0
Graphic Design°	12	11	29	-8.3	163.6
Health Information/Medical Records Technology/Technician	9	15	42	66.7	180.0
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/°	148	96	186	-35.1	93.8
Heavy Equipment Maintenance Technology/Technician°	53	38	86	-28.3	126.3
Hospitality Administration/Management, General	76	77	165	1.3	114.3
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology°	71	34	56	-52.1	64.7
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	64	73	67	14.1	-8.2
Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management°	113	134	296	18.6	120.9
Marketing/Marketing Management, General	33	41	58	24.2	41.5
Mason/Masonry	3	4	19	33.3	375.0
Medical/Clinical Assistant	56	75	75	33.9	0.0
Medium/Heavy Vehicle and Truck Technology/Technician°	44	63	107	43.2	69.8
Network and System Administration/Administrator°	55	55	111	0.0	101.8
Nursing Assistant/Aide and Patient Care Assistant/Aide°	45	34	66	-24.4	94.1
Pharmacy Technician/Assistant	23	40	38	73.9	-5.0

Technical College Graduates - 2015*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2013	2014	2015	2013-2014	2014-2015
Plumbing Technology/Plumber°	9	12	34	33.3	183.3
Radiologic Technology/Science - Radiographer	9	10	23	11.1	130.0
Small Business Administration/Management°	1	20	8	1900.0	-60.0
Surgical Technology/Technologist°	21	18	12	-14.3	-33.3
Truck and Bus Driver/Commercial Vehicle Operator and Instructor°	70	124	162	77.1	30.6
Web Page, Digital/Multimedia and Information Resources Design°	5	9	23	80.0	155.6
Welding Technology/Welder°	252	281	442	11.5	57.3

Definition: All graduates except those listed as technical certificates(°) are diploma and degree graduates. Diploma and degree programs are one to two years in length. Technical certificates are less than a year in length. Duplication may occur due to graduates with multiple awards.

Source: Technical College System of Georgia

*Data shown represents Annual 2013, 2014, and 2015.

Note: Please visit TCSG website for any college configuration changes.

Active Applicants - Georgia Department of Labor

	TOTAL	Mgt.	Bus. and Finance	Comp. and Math	Arch. and Eng.	Life and Soc. Svcs.	Comm. and Svcs	Legal	Ed. and Training	Arts and Design	Health Prac.	Health Support
Baker	23	3	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	7	0
Calhoun	19	3	3	0	4	0	1	0	1	0	3	4
Clay	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1
Early	159	53	2	5	1	1	7	1	24	0	36	29
Miller	57	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	6	2	22	21
Seminole	70	6	4	3	0	2	0	17	4	0	23	11
Subtotal Area	334	68	9	8	19	6	8	18	35	2	95	66

Active Applicants - Georgia Department of Labor (cont.)

	TOTAL	Protect. Svcs.	Food Prep.	Ground Cleaning	Personal Care	Sales	Office Support	Farm. and Forestry	Construction	Installation Main.	Prod.	Trans. and Moving
Baker	492	0	30	9	3	67	142	8	38	14	101	80
Calhoun	533	9	1	15	13	40	98	5	24	97	159	72
Clay	156	4	5	4	1	12	26	8	7	13	53	23
Early	781	12	25	8	3	77	129	10	42	25	206	244
Miller	448	16	22	4	18	35	84	3	57	24	61	124
Seminole	837	3	40	8	13	107	144	19	23	32	228	220
Subtotal Area	3,247	44	123	48	51	338	623	53	191	205	808	763

Note: For current applicant data available for a specific occupation, contact the nearest Georgia Department of Labor Career Center.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor (active applicants as of October 2016).

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